FBI-King: Index 25 numbered volumes

A Alphabetical, names beginning with Abernathy, Rev. Ralph D. X-46. First index card blank, not even a letter on it.

Anschutz, Willie - could not identify man said to be running away VI-6

B Bailey, Walter: shows nothing he knew about Invaders, protection King or none of it, etc.

Baker, R.W. (Sheriff's Office) "Run up stairs to King's body" No info from police official on body, its position, who was around it, what else he saw, heard or did not? Asked? I-80 (Strikeover on I)

Baker, U.L. and V.L. Seven cards on. Could not identify Galt pix.

_____ First of series of marked names after Ballan and before Barra, under Lorraine, VI-44 "checked out 5:45 pm 4/4 saw nothing." VI-45 "at motel 4/4. Left 5:45 pm." Could this be one of the Invaders? And the FBI not know, indicate?

Berkeleyn Dec [Sic] E.S. Under Autopsy X-152 "Received personal clothing from body of King at St. Joseph's Hospital...money, key to room 307..."If King was registered in a different room that 306, what happens to all the story about Ray knowing what room he was in from the newspix, TV? If 307 was to the south then the nagle was even more impossible. Note that entry under Abernathy omits the room in which he was registered, saying only that he was in 306 when King was shot.

Bevel, Rev. James. First of four cards under Lorraine "On King's staff; met McCullough. Arrived at Motel 5:55 p.m. 4/4/68-43. No interviewing SA on this card, all to other pages on one close to this one. With King on Balcony before shooting X-91,"on ground watching King just before shooting," VI-40." VI-119 "Showed ____where King stood when shot for purposes of taking measurements." (Why Bevel? He alone? No Pix used?)

Birch, Det. Sgt. Philip. London-no citation of volume or page. Instead first words of summary are "Thompson Report." Probably Kenneth Thompson, supervisor, not Russel X. Where citations are is "B 6/21/68" Same with regard to Det. Butler.

Brewer, Bessie: Refused to and could not make identification of Ray from Pix. VI 7 & 11. 11 card on her. Most to her. Eight cards on husband Frank. Apparently it is Stephens' name that is masked on the second of these cards, I-37, "Say ____was passed out...drunk and saw nothing." No privacy relating to Stephens. Two refusals to i/d/pix. Could not.

Brown, Dr. Rufus Autopsy"Surgical resident treating King." VI-71(For check on Francisco.)

Burke, Gubnar, incorrectly classified as "Bulk Film" Five cards on him. First three are a numbered listing of items all cited to XIII-36. (5) is 11/20/67 Galt letter saying he would be in LA 5 months.

Burns, Mrs. Peggy, X-126 (reinterviewed X-128) Listed as "Salesman" at Rexall. "Recalls selling Geillette shaving kit...shortly before noon 4/3/68" This confirms Ray's account of being at DeSoto to me. No listing under DeSoto although I spoke to both of the maids who had had to do with Ray and had been interviewed by FBI 4/5/68, as manager also told me.

C-first entry blanked-out name "VI-45 at motel 4/4.Left at 5:45 p.m." No more.

Canale-no card on.

Canipe, Guy Warren. 8 cards, all apparently to one point in volumes. First three cards supposed summary. In this version after he heard thud of package he went to door, examined package, then walked into area from which he could see street and toward firehouse (not mentioned-only direction-south- and represented as seeing white car leave curb along east side of street. Then says he saw deputy coming from north, after which he immediately returned to store. He told JL and mr and went out of his way to tell Mrs Payne and me that he never told anyone he saw any car. If it is also true

that "Car he saw pull from curb was 2nd or 3rd from his door"(apparently "store" on t is card originally, then xed out) then the Canipe's being as far as his door is senseless. Here the FBI does not indicate direction. It is my recollection that from Canipe's door there are not 3 parking places before the entrance to the parking lot. The parking lot goes up to the wall of Canipe's store. The door is at that extreme end of the front, right against that wall. Card citing "extradition affidavit" does not list any of this as in it- and it isn t. This card shows two photos attached. Wiseman swore there were none. And that he searched the Ray index.

Carpenter, Ralph,Long summary on his sale of binoculars without any reference to infrared asked for, etc. While it is now immaterial in 1968 it would not have been that as last 8 cards says, citing not any volume but unless 8 refers to one, "LHM 6/13/68 p. 5 Currently in mental institution as maniac [sic] depressive. No effect on identification or info given." Actually, as Canale admitted under oath, the only way of ever placing Ray in Memphis at any time was through this one person, Ralph Carpenter. And he was in a mental institution before scheduled trial.

Here with names masked are even those said to have identified Ray. All the Capitol Housing names have been public from the first, first in newspapers then in books.

Cherpes, Peter, 7 cards. II-67 and II-68 give directly contradictory accounts of car, first not recalling it and then making correct identification.

Copeland, Elizabeth I-105 "Was person who mistook white Mustang for Hurley's white Falson. When corrected, she noticedxx man sitting in Mustang's dark hair...At 5:20 Mr. Copeland double-parked next to Mistang...no one sitting in Mustang..." What is important here is failure to locate Mustang, assuming her story true as here represented, and confirmation of Ray's story to me on where he was and did when. It is quite conspicuous that with her husband having come for her and done the double-parking there is no interview with him noted in these cards.

After Courville, Jackie to Curtis, Raymond, all names are masked and there are quite a few cards. One with Lorraine heading is cited to "VI-49" and reads,"arrested 4/5 as suspicious in Jim's Grill :olice determined he knew nothing." Could this be the supposedly mysterious arrest of the supposedly mysterious sausage and eggs man? Of these five consecutive cards wit heavy obliterations do relate to hiding proof that The Ray car was not in front of Canipes. They are headed both Lorraine and Amusement Co. I-111 clues in with the wrong summary, about a car opposite s ide of street from Jim's Grill. VI-50 has one going to Jim's Grill at about 5:30 a"white xxxx Fairlane Ford, _____Cadillac, and a '67 white Mustang in front of _____car." No the blanks just equal the space of "Jower's." And Lloyd's name is never once mentioned. This again is proof that the FBI deliberately hid the exculpatory. In this they hide even the location of the cars. They were north of Canipe's and directly in front of Jim's Grill, or Jower's place of business. Thus there is no reason for the allegedly fleeing Ray to go at all near Canipe s in order to get to his car. He would have gone in the opposite direction. VI-53,56 and 57 follow on separate cards, names macked.

Curtis, Raymond, 17 cards ,all under penn. headings. First, cited A-7/5/68 "Wrote 2d letter (undated) to Charles Sanders of Ebony relating his friend with Ray since 1954 and how Ray had discussed killing ing..." robably beginning of Curtis story that only McMillan seems to go for much. Curtis was tying to sell story, when "reinterviewed showed the FBI the 20 page story he has written." (Earlier interview in April) A rather large number of "not known" cards follow, not indicting corroboration of what Curtis said. Reference to a written over syndicate name like Ballon.

D Masked early under this alphabetizing two consecutive cards under Aeromarine and both cited II-32 each reading "Photo shown to Baker and Wood 4/6." No more. Note no statement of what photo at this early date, why or whether or not id'd.

Davis, Mrs. Georgia, three cards then under Mrs. Norman 4 cards all summary of VI-20. Earlier ones VI-26,29,42. Her name not masked, but others are, wholesale. The summary recounts

what is in the FBI reports in Vol 12. Mostly social, gathering of party at Lorraine prior to shooting. Little sleep, fuziness on dates prior to 4/4, says March rescheduled for 4/8, which would have given King time to leave and return. Very interesting is this confirmed account dodged elsewhere, that when in Rm ~~210~~ 201 King said he was going to Kyles' for dinner and invited Mrs. Davis. This was at 5:45 p.m. 4/4. He then returned to his room to freshen up. Does this not mean that bathroom assassin would have had earlier and perhaps better shot at King ~~if shoulthe~~ shot had been from bathroom by man in it for an hour.

Davis, Quinton info is pretty clearly what Frank took and embellished.

Masked name after this and before Del Monte is on card that refers to 12/18/67 phone call from pay phone near Provencial pool to Los Angeles 934-2329. Next, taken from stationery at Provencial undoubtedly months later is to # 52401131, Chamber Commerce.

DeShazo, John Webster. ~~Three cards.~~ Five cards. First attributed to extradition affidavit has him saying that Ray bought Model 700, .243, saying he was going deer hunting in Wisc. with brother. This is next day's story. Third says "De Shazo's attention was called to this man because he obviously didn't know anything about guns." In this version ~~so~~ the hunting it "~~with~~ with his brother-in-law."

Despines (?), Lela Ballard, furnished ledge sheet that John L. Raynes "registered at Lincoln Apt. Hotel, 1648 West Lunt, Chicago on ~~6/18/xx~~ 6/18/67 and checked out 6/19/67...Room 105 for $18.51. Had luggage...filled out card."

Dixon, Dt. Sgt. David, London, cited to B 6/21/68, Took notes during interrogation of Ray in Cannon Row Police Station 6/8/68/

Dollahite, Vernan Vernard, sheriff's ptlm, in Tech Squad 10. Five cards cited to X-80,81, 83,96,101. Although the first card says "Marked outside and took charge of evidence at Canipe's Amusement Co." Those following prove this false. He was in firehouse, heeard shot, ~~drx~~ "jumped over fence, dropped down 10' retaining wall, ran to driveway on Mulberry (apparentlu into Lorraine) ...north on Mulberry to Mulan, west on Muling to Main, south on Main to Jim's Grill. Saw no pedestrians..." It is he who told all to ~~stay~~ inside the grill. After this he went south and then ~~x~~ "saw items in doorway." He left and later returned when "he observed tire marks in road probably made by car parked in 2nd space."

Donnelly, Edward, cited to A 10/8/68, p.10 "John L. Rayns signed page 13 of registration book, and stayed in basement apartment at 2731 N. Sheffiled," giving no time."Said Ray had trouble with his feet." I do not recall any other reference to this but do recall Ray telling me this and how the trouble developed. Next card, Gloria Donnelly, same cit., p.12 dates signing at 4/30/67 and duration 3-4 wks. More on bad feet. "received one letter from Canada. Said he was going to work there."

Dupepe, Bryan, V-7, given as owner-manager Provincial Motel, says Ray's room 112. "#126, composed of 2 ~~s~~all rooms, one on each floor, connected by spiral stairs..."

E Name masked, after Elliott and before ESSO, 5 cards refer to taking of pictures "body of King and environs," "rooming house and environs" and to the developing of other prints.

Eskridge, Chauncey, five cards from one of which SA Joe Hester's name not masked. At I-50 he "was watching King at time of shooting," which means that the flophouse was to Eskridge's left."Eskrifge was facing King, heard sound to his right ear. King was facing Mulberry Street..." This eliminates flophouse however else FBI phrased report.

Name masked, immediately after Eskridge, cited to I-43 under Lorraine,"Arrived at Motel 5:55 p.m. 4/4 in white pontiac tempest [sic]- student at LeMoyne College..."

Ester, Clara, I-46, under Lorraine,"climbed up balcony; standing next to McCullouch who was tending King's wounds." (Note earlier reference to McCullough and this in volumes.)

F Finley, Burnell, three cards I-71 has him behind Canipe who went first and said,"Get back, there's some kind of trouble out there, and I don't want no part of it."

This account, the FBI's version or both here become totally incredible:"Saw Deputy again [sic-walked past once first], then heard "screech" of tires and saw White Mustang speeding north on Main St., past store."

Fleming, Dr. Julian under Autopsy, cited to VI-72, "Dr. attending King (heart specialist)

Likeids names masked here.

Masked name-obvious reason he destroys official account 4 cards VI-50,5354,& 59, all under Lorraine where they do not belong, from 3rd card:"Entered Kim's Grill aprox. 5:05 pm,walked between white Mustang and white Cadillac. ...mustang because parked where _____usually parks." This one owned blue Vampire parked accross street. Now a counting of the spaces blacked over by the FBI comes out even with "Lloyd Jowers."

Francisco, Dr. Jerry T, five cards all "autopsy." Says little, that he "wrote autopsy findings and death certificate.."(first card) cited to extradition affidavit), VI-74 "furnished 5 photos of King's torso taken 4/4 - post mortem exam."(Card 2) "Gave bullet from body to" name masked, I-149; "pathological diagbosis," I-100 (? on 100); and "Autopsy report, including diagrams," I-181. No more. Not even a cause of death or opinion on number of shots of damage from shot-nothing at all. (This is end of my separation into volumes of the first from the order in which delivered to me.)

Frazier, Robert A, three cards only. 1st, I-145 is on receipt of physical evidence 5:10 a.m. 4/5/68 from SA Fitzpatrick, of "(Items found outside Canipe Amusement Co.)" Second card, cited to extradition affidavit only, reads in full "On 4/5/68 received firearms items from Fitzpatrick. Made ballistics analysis."Then 3rd, cited to I-149 and under "Autopsy," is "Received bullet from body from Fitzpatrick 4/5." Less informative these could not be. But if he made a "ballistics comparison" he had to have test fired rifle. This also was before he received the other relevant evidence.

Gaylon, Dr. Ted VI-71 (possibly just a mention of name) "attending doctor" at St. Joseph's when King was brought in. "Applied treatment."

Garner, Jimmie Delton. 14 cards + two of sister, Miss Robbie Lee Garner. The first, IV-47, also has Ray checking in there for the first time 4/5/68, between 5 & 6 p.m."Garner noted that Galt drove black car,,," and Galt moved in "on April 7" moving from Room 5 to #6 same day. This also has Ray and another telling Garner together that they were leaving on 9th "to go to Michigan," both rooms vacant next day. With three postmarks on two letters to Ray, 4/1/9 and 10, "Garner unable to explain how letter was sent to that address before April 5." IV-53, Garner "unable to explain how he discovered that man's name was Galt." IV-54 this becomes "Galt rented room on March 24," an entirely different room. Now he claims that it was on April 5 that he found Galt's note saying he would be back for TV. "Garner destroyed note." Garner gets on hard drunks and has no recollections.

Ghormley, Lt. Judson Eugene, under Lorriane again where this also does not belong. Two cards cited to I-80. He was assigned Sec 10, 3 cards 12, officers. In this account it required a "Negro detective" to run "into firehouse" to tell them "King was shot." This on has he "ran east on Butler to Mulberry and north on Mulberry toward Lorraine Motel... retractes steps around firehouse and ran north on Main. Noticed " bundle and"Relayed information to dispatcher by walkie-talkie...guarded the articles so no one could disturb them" until other officers arrived.

Gioia,Dr. Fred, VI-72, "consultant on pre-death treatment and diagnosis of King." Can me another check on Francisco

Masked name with apparently first line masked so/ there is no beginning for quote that ends "Officer on duty 6/17/68;wrote duty report.'" What officer, what duty in England? Cited to A.7/26/68 p.5 After tea 6/17 Ray supposedly told him of effort to get passport first time in Canada after escape from Mo. pen. "Ray stated that a suitcase found with his fingerprints had not been in his possession for 4 months." If true and if working backward from time crime then dates to N.O. or L.A. from what we know. After this there

a card with the named blacked out, cited to A 7/26/68 p. 7, headed London and beginning "Officer Godden reported his conversation with Ray 7/5/68." Because this is not the conversation of the prior entry it cannot be that and would seem to indicate something missing here. Ray told him where he stayed in Portugal and London

Graham, Julius, 3 cards, I-71,I-75. Whether it is in the retelling this is a garbled account. Even time, sequence events confused.

On one page first name "In Tactical Squad #10" is obligerated while that of Plt. Wm. E. Gross that follows is not. (I-99.) After Gross left firehouse for Mulberry returned to Main,then Manipes, where 2 police and deputy were already. He remained and guarded. This may be the origin of the following investion,"if person started to go south on Main first think he would have seen were [sic] 3 police cars. Possibly explains why man dropped bundle."

H Hamby, Lt. James D. Card remarkable for brevity in most 10 cases. In 7 is is no more than "Interviewed_____ with SA _____, name FBI agent obliterated. These are Stephens, Reevess, Harley,Canipe, Finley, Graham, Bodenheimer. All 4/5/68, quite a day unless police were bringing all these to one point, like police Hq. Hamby also retrieved the slug and gave it to ~~Sawyer~~ Zachary and, cited to extradition affidavit,"On 4/5 went to rooming house and removed window sill in bathroom (#71) and gave it to FBI." He had him a full day! Other citations to I-22,30,37,67,71,75,78. I-154 has him "observing what appeared to be a recently made indentation in windowsill...removed substantial portion of Sill. With SA_____" name obliterated. This puts the FBI in on the windowsill canard.

Name masked but it is Hanner from text who was at Aeromarine 3/29. "Hanner's attention was called to man because of his obvious lack of knowledge concerning rifles. Man bought a Remington from salesman Baker...While man was watching Baker install [sic] scope.

THIS IS EVEN MORE IMPORTANT THAT DR SHAGO'S COMMENT ON RAY'S IGNORANCE OF RIFLES. Because what the never-mentioned Hanner saw is a) a manner of attaching a scope that is just about worthless and b) is exactly the way Frazier's suppressed lab report says the scope was attached when he got the rifle, the screws so loose he did not have to use a screwdriver to remove it. Or, a rifle they all knew was not used in the shooting! Even with the acceptance of Frazier's misrepresentations about slug this and it should have been more than enough foracquittal

Hanner not in Frank's index.

Name obliterated, just before Harris VI-45 under Lorraine:"At motel. Left 5:45 p.m."

Name obliterated, before Hartzell, VI-49,"gave info on (blacked out)arrested 4/5 as suspicious in Jim's Grill."

Hedgpeth, C.H. Although name is masked in records from L.A. here he is the mail forwarding service advertised in FREEP from which on 1/26/68 Ray hired forwarding service 2/1/68-3/1/68 for $3.00. Nothing forwarded.

NOTE ODD DATES. Ray was still in L.A., from what we know, and did not leave until after end this period. I have reports he had left, however.

Name SA blacked out. V-30 he located number Provencial pay phone near pool, 525-3302.

Huie, Wm. B 10/8/68, saw Klinegmann 8/20, showed "letters from Ray addressed to an attorney in Miss."

Name blacked out, right after Human, R.L. and listed under Lorraine heading:"Arrived at Motel 5:35 p.m. 4/4 in white tempest of (blacked out) Lives in Orange Mound area of Memphis." I-43. Very next is:

Hunt, Mary, I-46, Lorraine,"Climbed up balcony, standing near McCullough who was tending King's wounds."

Hurley, Charles Hardy I-103, left at 4:48 but says stopped behind white mustang with man sitting in it. "souoht of" Canipe's facing north. Next cards, wife Peggy, similar.

E. Larry Hutchison, Canale's office, in flophouse search approx 7:30-8:00 4/4. Gave to FBI.

I,J JACKSON, Jesse #445 "Seen by McCullough looking at his door at King just after King shot." Exact, complete quote. Next,I-53,"Standing by Room 306 when King shot." They even traced him (VI-21) "at church mornings of 4/4 where SCLC strategy meeting ~~xxxxxxx~~ occuring."

Name blacked, FBI agent III-111 ~~xxxxxxx~~ 21 calls made from 469-8096,"phone records of Galt from 11/27/67-1/22/68." on 113"Obtained names to numbers called on Galt's phone" on 4/13/68.

Jones, James on 5 cards, 5 cards I-51, "Jones saw King come out of second floor room and go directly to room 306. As he was about to enter he told Jones to start car...A short time later King came out...facing west...Saw King fall...He and Eskridge ran toward Mulberry St. Jones caught glimpse 26 [person] - no description except wore colored jacket. Returned to motel, lay on bed, drove Young and Lee to hospital." Nothing about white sheet here. I-56, Lee saw him in courtyard. I-58, King spoke to him, Young saw on ground level. VI-39,"Talking with King just before shot 4/4" all

Name blacked, I-111,113 both say Cadillac parked outside Jim's grill 4/4 late p.m.

Jowers, Jim on all 6 cards. VI-48, has him arriving 3:55 and "parking "behind white mustang." "o more on this, more on strange customer. VI-50 had his cadicallc there 4/4. VI-54,57 "cadillact north of hydrant behind mustang."VI -62, blacked-out name confirms.

Katzwinkle, name blacked out all mentioned, here on four cards, masking of what was long ago released and not in any sense required by privacy. Even the number of her apartment at the Serrano address.

Kelly, Norbery, cook at Economy rooms, Memphis, says Ray paid for his meals "except during last[week] during which he didn't buy meals, saying he had no money." Remembers on several cards because Ray always late for breakfast.

Martin Luther King, many card, not counting.
I-43 "Seen by McCullough standing on balcony 2d floor in front of room 306 just before shot. 4/4/ seen by McCullough falling backwards, grasping throat." I-45, "McCullough applied pressure to King's wounds - first to arrive at King's body." Plural on wounds on card. I-46 "Abernathy applied pressure to King's wounds after McCullough." I-61 "Seen fall by maid, Cedar Shavers, after shot." I-89,"Seen fall backwards on balcony by Charles Stone." (Note to self-in Lerner's notes he is fireman.) I-90, "seen shot by fireman Loenneke, King and PD Richmond at firehouse." VI-99 "lab exam of King' clothing."In I-90 fireman King is Wm. Also I-91. In 97 he is William Bishop. Complete confirmation of Frame-Up, "States that newspapers covered windows so that Memphis Police could keep King party under surveillance without being seen.Thinks shot was from rifle and came from left." Left here is ambiguous but even if from forehouse it does not mean flophouse and would seem to refer to park lot area.

Millington, Mary K 4 10/8/68 "Remember Ray arrived at work with swollen feet; was given Ace bandages." Followed by Harvey K, same date, followed by"Huie Story." Indian Trail is at 507 Chestnut St, Winnetka. Note my earlier note this address, I think there in reference to K.C. Smrt last of 7 check to brother at Northbrook, Ill. But what is called Huie's story is hardly it, like "Huie said Ray did not actually kill King and would identify killers at trial."

Myles, Rev. Samuel. One of several cards, this end last, VI-37,"Some people pointed to empty land and bushes, indicating shot might have come ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ from west to east." The one thing this did not need indicated, with King shot in the front and facing the front, is that the shot came from the front, or west. What Myles was really saying, as - had him saying in F-u, is that shot did not come from the flophouse but came from the land and closer to the south than the flophouse.

L Name blacked out just before Landers Given as F.B.I. and under Lorraine heading I-30? "Escaled to back of Rooming House." Total entry. Apparently Terrance H. Landers, who also jumped down off wall and went back and found only 2 prints, which he says are all since it has rained recently.

Lau, Thomas, III-131, recall May drove dark car. Regularly at school 1/19-3/2/68

Laue, James H, in 308, ext. affidavit.

Blacked-out name before Lee, I-20, I-21, two entries, "Watched TV in Anschutz's room the afternoon of 4/4." and "(blacked uout) Anshutz does not know if she saw man run past door."

Lee, Rev Bernard Scott, I-35. Was at steps at north end of courtyard looking toward it or north.."Looked at buildings accross street but saw no one in windows."

Loennoke, Fire Lt. George W., 3 cards, two citations, both seemingly excessively brief. I-9-;"In firehouse-saw King shit." I-97:"At firehouse window looking at King on balcony." Middle card, I-91, says he was "observing King when shot" and "announced to firemen and police that King was shot." With no time interval indicated, "went out front door to Main St. Saw no vehicles or pedestrians." If he went as soon as he announced he would have had full view of street before anyone could have gotten there from bathroom after making package. "Thought shot came from left of firehouse" could be anywhere to the north pole but it is not formulated in a manner to indicate the buildings to the left. The "No other information" obviously is false because there was a spy post at that door of that firehouse and he is not reported as saying so.

Louw, Joseph, VI-41, total entry:"photographer at motel who took pictures in vicinity after shooting 4/4." You'd never know the FBI has those pictures.

McC McCullough, Lorrell, I-42-47."Negro, active in COME, arrived Lorraine Motel about 5:55 p.m.4/4/68, in his car with Rev. James Orange and Rev. James Bevel." Parked in lot, "just south of old Motel portion" means about where King's room was."...room 306, which had been King's room during his recent visit to Memphis. King was leaning over rail. McCullough saw no one else on balcony. Walking back toward another car, Mc Cullough heard explosive sound he was [sic] standing and facing north. His position would be south of King, who was facing west. Heard someone said King had been killed. Looked up. Saw King fall backward in southeast direction." (Heard he was killed before King fell?) McCullough ran to King and applied pressure on wound with a towel given to him by someone else. Relieved by Abernathy."
There are the others whose names are masked in his car, ~~Haskin~~ Mary Hunt, etc. No ref to Louw's pix of this.

McIntire, Donald G, III-113, "Subscriber to phone number ~~Galt~~ Galt called:478-3683." No masking. (Ray bought TV from them, III-115)

Martin, Marie. Numerous cards on which the masking not necessary. All known. Masking makes for needless confusion, as in most cases it will for all except the well-versed.

Medrana, Manuela Aguirre (same as Irma Morales) (Said he "Could not dance." and "Furnished photo of Galt around 11/3/67."

N Nance (Ray) name masked but not secret, used often elsewhere, found in Mustang.
Third notebooks resumes with remainder Ps.

Almost all names for several letters have been masked. The copies are from a different machine. Some of the masking is either silly or deliberately excessive, indications are by a different person who thinks differently, even more of an FBI hardliner who is opposed to anyone knowing anything. Some, like the obliterating of McFerrin's name, can be from lack of knowledge of the facts of this case. But then there is also much missing, like the tough FBI interrogation, to take the same case, of McFerrin. No reference to the stuff from Sartor, of which I have copies from his former wife.

After Ray, Earl William, obliterated name of one who recognized owners of two white cars on Main street, white Chevrolet and white Fairlane, "and Cadillac of Jowers," which also was white, as not stated here and certainly was by witness. Do earlier references also hide color Jowers' car. This reminds me, no mention of McCraw, who is explicit on this and whose trip ticket or manifest was immediately confiscated by the FBI.

Ray, Jerry, 9 cards, first a listing 21 dates of money orders he sent Jimmy at MSP

Ray, John, 7 cards. Cited to D LHM 6/17/68 p. 1 is note he visited JBR at MSP "9 times, last on 4/22/67 day before escape."

Name obliterated, after Reddock and before Reedy, VI-66 and quite important in terms of supporting what Jimmy told me, other than official account: "Left Jim's Grill between 5:15 and 5:30 p.m....Noticed off-white Mustang with dark interior...walked north on east side of ~~main~~ south main. At intersection of Vance and south main he looked back and saw mustang about ready to turn corner and go east on Vance from south main. Does not know if this car was the same as the one he saw parked but thinks it was." Had friend with him. This is the story Jimmy gave me except for Vance. Jimmy described making that turn but was uncertain of the street. He provided two different maps, consistent but with a different number of streets before he made his right turn. The Greyhound station figures in his map but is a greater distance from Main that he shows.
This is one of many examples of the FBI having and keeping secret exculpatory information. It not only could not place Jimmy at the scene of the crime, it could place him not at the scene and surmised that, too. This is one of a number of mutually-confirming witnesses who place his car in an exculpatory location before it left and have it leaving at a time that eliminates him as the shooter.

Reedy, Mrs. Catherine, II-94, rented safe box B'ham 8/28/67, in it 9/5 from 1:32 to 1:56; ~~9/2~~ 9/21, 11:04-11:08; 9/28, 10:16-10:19. "Keys surrendered by mail Dec. 13, 1967." Does not give postmark.

Reeves, Bertis L., 4 cards: I-17, left Room "when shot was fired at same time as Brewers;" I-30: saw man at landlady's door about 5; after shot walked to rear entrance and "told by police to stay inside." I-37 :"Heard shot 4/4 with Brewers." VI-8 "Could not identify photos" of Ray of 1955, 1960, 1966) or bedspreadk. (Why was he not shown claimed 1967 and 1968 photos?)
The omissions in what Reeves said cannot be accidental. They place the shot from the parking lot, not the flophouse.

Reissner, Dr. John, VI-71, "worked on blood infusion" at hospital. Check on Francisco?

Richmond, Phil I-90: "In firehouse -Saw King Shot." (This is not the first explicit statement he was there. I note it because he is not saying he was not.)

Robinson, Raymond, VII-4: "Runs motel in Senatobra, Miss - had tenant with white mustang with Alabama plates." Total entry. "Miss lined through, "Runs" written above. "Senatorba" corrected to "Senatobria," which is about 30 miles directly south of Memphis nr. expressway. I go into this to indicate extent to which motels were checked while there is no ref. to DeSoto, which is close to Memphis, just over state line, and on different road, the old road south, US61 as I recall.

Schwartz, Frederick J., London B LHM 6/14/68, p. 2 "Interested lawyer in Ray case - spoke to Scotland Yard re interest." Second card, same citation, "Background info re 'academic interest' in case.

Name obliterated of FBI agent when the source cited is public-extradition affidavit.

Name masked before Sheldrick, of another Lorraine maid who "saw ~~King~~ fall."

Name blacked out, I-163 "Took 2 photos of Motel: balcony and rooms 206 and 306½, 4/4/68."

Name blacked out, I-163, "Took to photos of Canipe Amusement Co: both of front showing bundle. 4/4/68."

Name blacked out, I-165, under Lorraine Motel:"also took photos of Lorraine Motel and environs - separate numbering system to distinguish photos from(blacked out)"

Name blacked out, I-163, under heading RH-Mem.: "Took 13 photos of interior and exterior scenes of rooming house: interior 5-b, hallway, rear stairs, rear bathroom on 2d floor, etc. 4/4/68." Just before Soares.

Name blacked out, right before Spain, Walter, MPD, listed under Amusement Co." and of MPD. I-80," In Tactical Squad 10." I-81,"Parked outside Canipe's Amusement Co." This is so impossible a summary the error cannot be passed off as accidental when it is the official mythology that when Ray saw a police car he dropped the package and bolted. Those cars were parked on the fire-house apron, which was hidden from Canipe's place and the sidewalk near it by a row of bushes the two street-ward most of which were trimmed off at the rground soon after the assassination.

Sprunt, Dr. "Pathological analysis." I-180. On Francisco?

Stein, Charles, name masked on many card all dealing with the already well-publicized.

Stephens, Charles and Grace, 13 cards on both. R-h Mem. I-19:"...6-B. Man has TB and wife confined to bed."
Attributed to Extradition Affidavit this falsehood:" Identifies profile photo of Ray ..." Maybe not, maybe he did ID man on checking in but I think not.
VI-5"Photographs of James Earl Ray (1955,1960,1966)...1955 and 1960 photos unfamiliar but 1966 profile photo looked like men he saw in Apr 5B..." Now this is evasion when he executed an affidavit allegedly identify a man at the time of thes crime. The actuality is Stephens refused to ID and is filmed by CBS saying positibaly the Ray picture is not a picture he could identify. On their 1975 Aing segment.
From the two cards on Gracie one would never know that she got out of bed and saw a man she described as other than Ray, as from the cards on Charlie you would nevr know he was drunk and entirely out of it.

Stone, Charles Alvin, I-89, listed under Lorraine Motel, naturally, all heading being designed to mean nothing to others outside the FBI. The names of two SAs are blacked out: "Observing King from fire station when shot. Announced to fireman and police that King had been shot. They thought he was joking until someone else said the same thing. Went towards Mulberry Street, saw mass confusion, went back to firehouse. Named other witnesses. Thought shot might have come from parking lot north of station." Second car, I-97, still not saying whether fire (was I think) or police,"At window of firehouse looking at King on balcony."

T Tatum,Robert: B. LH6/13/68, p. 4 Bought .39 revolver found on Ray in London on 10/11/66 in Calif.; sold it 12/3/66 in B'ham to Walter Spain.

Masked name masked byt clearly LA then Free Press AV-87. Here is the explanation of Ray's use of a mail forwarding company. He advertised in the FREEP for "discreet meeting with passionate married female. Ad run 2/2 and 2/8/68, his forwarding service from 2/1 to 3/1/68.

U All entries except US Coast Guard and US Government obliterated. Names that is.

V Blacked out name, under No Pen,XVII-16 (Blacked out) says above was friend of Ray. From Baton Rouge. Talked of Mexico a Lot."

W Blackedout name, I-111, under Amusement Co.,:"White Fairlane Ford parked south of Jim's grill entrance around 5:30- 6:00 pm 4/4" Similar VI-50, 54 but different VI-53: "parked car outside - Heard by Wood to say Mustang took his place." All blacked names. VI-57,57,"white fairlane parked just south of hydrant by grill. Formulate VI-62 aims at fixing prosecutorial mind because from 5:20 no way of knowing when mustang left:"Entered Jim's Grill approx 5:20,4/4/68. Recalls that 1966 white mustang hardtop was parked

in space he usually uses. Interior dark, possible red or black. ...Certain that mustang was gone after deputy told everyone to stay." If they had not omitted witnesses like McCraw they'd have known the mustang was gone much before the shot.

Blackedout name under Announcement Go to which it has no relevance and cited to I-110. There clearly is an error her that I'll suggest:"On Corner ~~Ruling~~ of South Front Street and Ruling Street when told by officers to go inside Jim's Grill. Saw or heard nothing." First of all it is not likely that cops in the plural would have been a block and a half away, out of sigh of Grill, farthur from Lorraine. Were they it also is not likely they would have sent a non-suspect to the grill to avgit nothing. What is likely is that this person was at South Main and Ruling. Jim's Grill, like the Lorraine, is in the block the north end of which is ~~Ruling~~ Main. Other (no longer Butler) If this person "saw or heard nothing" he had to have been inside a bldg. Saw or heard nothing about what? If he was on the street he had a chance to see a departing car. They were anxious to have that car seen departing. Only not when it did-later. So they have to fudge in the ~~mr~~ representations of evidence.

Wilhite, Dr. Joe. VI-72 "ojest surgeon attending King." On Francisco?

Blackedout after Wong, Roberta, under Lorraine, VI-52:"Walked in front of white mustang approx. 5:05 p.m. 4/4/68 to enter Jim's grill. Mustang parked in front of white cadillac...When (blackedout name) entered restaurant, he remarked that mustang had taken his parking place." (See first note under W, cited to I-111, which also notes this comment.)

XYZ Young, Andrew, I-58 "Thought shot came from bushes on west side of Mulberry."

EXT SHOTGUN BLAST "[illegible] LAB EXH."

First item is duplicated card summarizing Bonebrake's extradition affidvit. Sets time of identification of prints at 4/19 and with LA 10/11/~~68~~ 49 prints which are identified as same as those of undated NSP FBI card. Next card AIII-83, "remaining unidentified prints are not Jerry William Ray's." No other name in this sense, with all the unidentified prints.

Next is long series of 3x5 handwritten cards reproduced 3 to the page each with an item only some of which are attributed to Ray. Second is not, "BEA #974 flight from London to Lisbon -5/7/68 List of crew members."Some appear to be self-serving with omissions to which meanings can be ascribed,bottom 3rd sheet, "All Parts Warning London SUR-1264 All ~~pax~~ parts warning to detain Sneyd." There is no date or source. No ref. to location of a copy of it if needed. These appear to be of London origin, hence Scotland Yard's, not FBI's.

Possible explanation of Ray's pruchase tailorMade suit bottom card p. 6, items of clothing listed, "...including a brown jacket with 'Eric Galt' inside." Twice on p. 7. It is probably part of establishing a new identification.

Top 8 Forensic lab established revolver had been fired but not recently.

2d card on 9 is first ref to "I feel so trapped." Said made at 4:45 p.m.

Throug out the names of well-publicized British police blacked out.Some testified at extradition hearing. No purpose served in blacking out.

Levey, Hopkins, no first names, la yers rep. Ray and govt in 7/16/hearings on British violations.

~~Last~~ card on 18 on Arthur Hanes "Hanes visited Ray as friend on 7/5,7/6,7/17,7/18"

Next to last entry, bottom 19, "charged with passport & gun violations 5:20 pm 6/8 at police station."

This is followed by other cards on fingerprints

Then by lab summaries, conspicuously note dated except for delviery by Fitzpatrick on 4/5/68.

Cards separated into separate volume. Handwritten list made of all numbers including blanks for those not represented by a card.

SECTION [illegible] "[illegible]"

No entry dated, earliest of volumes includes is M. Says little but represents an extensive checking.

SECTION [illegible] "PRISON"

All names except of Jerry and Jimmy masked to that of Curtis, Raymond, on whom first entry is VI-112,"In Penn with Ray - talked to newspapers."

To this point most prisoners interviewed- and there were many - were divided on Jimmy and race, most no evidence of racism, the one that is inherently not credible and saying he was going to kill King being given most attention. It seems to be the one civilian and I think Frank can cite quote or refer to. This one attributes anti-JEH feelings to him, too.

Interesting line attributed to Curtis in a 7/5/68 p.6:"Ray suggested he would kill King and leave a false gun and trail." Is it possible the FBI was getting ready to answer proof that rifle was not used? There are 14 cards of Curtis, so the interviews and efforts with an apparently quite undependable man were extensive. He had a "bounty on JEH's head," Mississippi Klan paying Ray, other fanciful stories.

For a loner this is a strange record. It lists many allegedly friendly with Ray.

One entry of full three cards, attributed to an informant "unnamed" in Moyen concludes of Ray "normal sex life." What in the world is that in prison?

This is before King, Martin Luther, under Moyen, M-39 "Said to have been subject of assassination plot, March 1965, Columbia, S.C." What it does not say is that this had no connection with Ray from the reports prior to this one.

One former cellmate at least 4 cards all attributed to M-45. With names masked not possible to know whether more than 1. Says Ray spoke of Campeche Bay near Yucatan peninsula and Torreon or Torrejon and previous trips to Mexico following other armed robberies, 2 or 3. "...had no particular feeling toward King"

When an extradition affidavit is cited as source the affiant's name is blacked out! Pepper FBI at M-49 "Could be the name of the man to whom inmate (blacked out) sent a Money Order for Ray in 1966." There are a number of similar references, the others being to a stationery company in St. Louis. All apparently refer to ~~xxxx~~ one money order, for $15. Of course there are records of money orders. None referred to.

These are contradictory reports that if examined in toto would mean nothing. They have Ray at once not gambling and gambling, etc. The number of reports that have him not a racist is large, most of these on race.

Walter Rife's name is masked. Remarkably little from him

Under Warden Swenson, M-13, only "'Hauled out' a guard after Ray's escape."

Next entry blacked out name of"First Negro officer to have general jurisdiction over prison ~~year~~." He says "Knew 'Jimmy'... got along well with Negro prisoners but did not associate with them...does not believe Ray would kill Negroes and does not believe he killed King."

After this blackedout at Moyen XVII-16:"___says above was friend of Ray. From Baton Rouge. Talked of Mexico a lot."

SECTION [illegible] "PRISON RECORDS"

M-98, the money order of 1/20/67 was for $15.25 and to Albert S. Pepper.

Jerry Ray only entry in card listing ~~last~~ 29 money orders he sent Jimmy at Moyen, 4 from John, M-75. Sums not given. But because Jimmy was getting rich on rackets in jail?

Number of Ray's fingerprint records including federal and prior to and after escape without any reference to the alleged sending of wrong ones to the FBI.

SECTION [illegible] "PRISON [illegible]."

"A-31 An elaboration of his previous interview. Concerning his 1965 activities in New Orleans." Name blacked out.

Number of cards in apparent denial of Curtis' story.

Interesting ~~that~~ that with all the cards devoted to Raymond Curtis those negating his stories are filed separately and the refutations are not included with the story.

Willey, Charles D. A 7/25/68 "Owner of houseboat in Vicksburg. Now dead. Curtis called him Willett.

[illegible] "ELLMORE"

Gloria Donnelly A 10/8/68 p. 12 Ray "received onelletter fromCanada" when he stayed at 3731 N. Sheffield, Chicago 4/30-5/17 or 6/17/67 (Date new tenant moved in).

Under survey Klingeman this account from Nuic,"During employment at restaurant, recognized by an unknown who recognized Ray (sic) and threatened the survival Ray if Ray did not work for him. Ray was given $1200 in initial contacts and was ultimately paid $15,000 but due to receive more." Card appears to be original of one noted earlier.

[illegible] "[illegible] [illegible]" further broken down- first "Dance"
591-5621 National Dance Studio Pontchartrain Beach. Galt phoned 3 times 12/4/67;12/15/67; 12/21/67; 5 times 1/9/67. III-113.
III-122 shows contract for dance lessons on 12/14/67 for 30 and "Records show each lesson by number, date, teacher, payments - lessons were from 12/5/67 to 2/12/68" this card does not list dates. Indications are he did not take all 30 lessons. He also stopped a month before he left LA, which would give him time for other trips to other places. Later ref. to same source, III-122, says "Contract was to expire 3/14/68." III-123 shows his phones as 469-8096, 864,1131. Bartending: (Repeated references to Ray's smoking again, including filter tips.)
III-131 says at bartending school 1/15-3/2/68 Mon-Fri. 10-1,2-5. Had dark car. Jaguar and Ant. III-74 On 4/11/68 someone asked what happened to former occupant 102. Galt 16 - shipped and "Soon after Galt shipped a male and female from 2d floor skipped"-III-64.
III-110,111ff,144-5 record Galt's calls from Pacific [illegible] 1149 N. Dower. 942-8700 is Aero Space Control Corp. 209/753-23-53(sic) Angel's Camp Area, near Valley Lodge; indication of call to end of check at LA [illegible] Guard. 523-5333 is Jamaica Bay Inn. 478-3583 is Ronald W. McIntire.(He bought their advertised TV.) Number of Elizabeth Pitt blacked out. (Called 1/15/68-swinger ad?) III-116 says "phone ad for husband." Ad issue dated 3/1/68. his call 1/15/68. 522-3828 Allan Ross.(He runs thupee shop.) (III-113,IV-146). 437-2941 is Coast Guard, III-113. So is 831-4281, Herwin L Leland,114. 477-2071 is Wallace Hq,III-113; 941-6767 is Kirby Vacuum Sales. 1st record III-109.
St. Francis Hotel: Then New Orleans Trip:All the well-known and oft-published names are blacked out, including those that are not earlier in this very section on L... IV-31, woman,"...he mentioned friends who lived in Industrial Canal area or in (sic) Chef Menteur Highway.
IV-15 Box delivered to N.O. 3/24/68. Charlie Stein (name balled out) gave long account of trip from 3 cards cited to III-145. Further apparently Stein IV-7:"Says that the New Orleans contractor mentioned by Ray on Dec. trip had Italian name and worked in area of Industrial Canal. (Block out) told (blacked out (second space fits Stein) that the man lived near Menteur (sic) Highway in area of Jackson Barracks.
Note to self: If as I believe the industrial canal is the same as the Inner Harbor Navigation Canal it starts on the Pontachartraon end between Pontchartrain Beach and Lakefront Airport. Chef Menteur is the first road to cross it away from the lakefront, between it and I 10. The canals runs approximate N-S and enters the river about 1 1/2 miles from Esplanade end of Fr. Quarter. On the same side of river and opposite side of canal from city N.O. proper or main part, on Orleans Parish side of line with St. Bernard Parish, is Jackson Barracks, between River and St. Claude Ave., which is main thoroughfare. First settlement in St. B. Parish is Arabi, then Chalmette. I believe Jackson's battle at N.O. at Chalmette. So Jackson Barracks not in area of Chef Menteur but Ray knew N.O. somewhat.

Correspondence-Places Visited. XV-60 No concern over right to privacy of Patricia Anderson who advertised for a "swinger." XV-63 she received Galt's letter under her maiden name Schubert, considered it "obscene." She "never submitted her name to paper" and never saw Galt. No concern privacy her husband Lee T. Also XV-59-60

Freeman, Dr. Mark O., L.A. 2 cards cited to XV-129. Summary of his opinion of Ray and Ray's visits.

Schubert, Patricia, XV -61,62,63 first "local swinger, then "maiden name Patricia Anderson. Privacy? This listing follows concern for privacy of "Schindler, Gordon W. ..."Sell pornographic literature..."

Film Order: Locksmith School: Bk-disc: Much silly and unnecessary maskings, of well-known names like the Watzwinkle-Ray story, the Stein story, etc. Heavy on Stein. A long summary at III-156 says again "Galt mentioned the names of streets and places in New Orleans." Here his "employment or scout action firm" contact is given as "in Chalmet(sic) suburb; mentioned names 'Jackson Barracks.'" XV-5 refers to description of place near Houston from pay phone of which Ray made 12/10/67 call. XV-10 "Identified polaroid photo of Galt in chair, but could not identify surroundings." V-31 One call from Provincial pool-side phone to LA 524-2529. 12/10/67. Poolside phone is52-8502. Then long series card of "service. Most of these illegible. Find my notebook originally 5.

Atlanta Cleaners:

IV-40 Mrs. Estelle Peters says that on 4/1/68 Galt left 4 undershirts, 3 underdrawers, 1 pr sox, 1 washcloth, 1 coat, 1 trousers, 1 tie. He left this shortly before 10 a.m. "picked up by some man between 9am and 10 am (possibly closer to 9), on April 5, 1968."

Atlanta-Misc.: B'ham- FBI; B'ham-Dance: B'ham-Deposit Box: B'ham-Cleaners: B'ham - dis. a 8/29/68, Robert H. Shelton "in contact with Hanes...discuss all looking at jury list in forthcoming trial, to be furnished by Hanes."

Is this the FBI interfering with privacy of counsel?

Auction: Then Ownership;era ;tire trace:service trace:Rebel Motel: and my Hot-Shot 6 York Arms: Men-42 1/2 S Main:

Anschutz: I-20 4/4/68:" Shot had been fired from nearby, but Anschutz not sure where. After man had run down hall Stevens (sic) came out of his room." Compare this with Stephens 1st edition affidavit. Note also that it is to Anschutz that the police said to get away from window. He went into bathroom. No report of smelling anything. Not here. VI-6 he could not identify running man and he did not say pic of 1955,1960,1968. Deedie Brewer: I-33- it appears that someone had to be told 4/5/68"that a man was killed.) I-37 name obviously the FBI's spelling of Stephens, Stevens, blacked out in Frank Brewer's I-37 statement"says (blackedout) was passed out in Motel room drunk and saw nothing." (Some of these characters had been asleep, were aroused and went right back to sleep. Anschutz went back to watching T.V.)

I-165 under FBI-Allen. long name blacked out,"Took photos of rooming house and environs." On drunk, see also I-18. I-37, Barnsley, aged 61,"...claimed to have seen three men, two of who (sic) he met running down hall - one with Yankee accent, the other looking like an Indian." I-163 name blacked out, "Took 13 photos of interior and exterior scenes of rooming house; interior 5-b; hallway,rear stairs, rear bathroom, etc. 4/4/68. Stephens, VI-11 "shown photo of Galt- I no I.D." When this ref to extradition affidavit: Identifies profile photo of Ray (Esp. nose and chin) as man he saw that afternoon.

"Map of front view of S. Main (FBI)" I-5 "A composite photographic front view of the east side of 410-424 S. Main St." Some drunk I-17, I-34.

Lorraine Motel: I-60, Asher, A.H. (Sheriff's Office) "Ran up stairs to King's body." Could he be man in plain clothes in Loun's pix?

V-I(Blacked out name, as next) / "checked out 3:45 p.m. 4/4 saw nothing." With I-45 it is "at motel 4/4. Left 3:45 p.m." These entries after Wally and before Leonard, Lee. See VI-36, after Ben Branch. This one followed by Labis. Was it Cabbage?

I-58 interview 3d (blacked out) with Andy Young.

Bufour, H.A. Sheriff's office, "ran upstairs to King's body."

I-164 "Developed prints of (blacked out) photos."

I-165 "(Blacked out, long,)"Took photos of body of King and environs." (before Ingram and after Bufour.) Not Loun or scrifiled Holfield.)

I-50 if Schaefge was "t sing ding" and "heard sound to his right ear" he did not then say the shot came from the floor but because his right ear was toward firehouse and lot. And he DID hear it. This is they did not speak FBI agent's name:d ater.
I-49 and 48 both on Lster, Clare, "arrived at Motel 5:55 p.m. 4/4 in white pontiac te.pest-student at Loyola College. Wives (next blacked out)." And "Chilled up bloody;standing next to McCullough who was tending wings (sic) wounds." She saw it McCU's car. Later ester and before Hutting, "I-45 at Motel 4/4. Left 5:45 p.m."
I-46, 45, Lary -unt, similar entries to those on Clare Peter.
I-50 has Charles Stone and Loenneke and "Firebrand at firehouse."
I-xx 6, Kin, Norman Jr.,"In firehouse-Sa ing shot." With Loenneke I-51
Immediately after Cherer and before Stone another blacked-out name "at motel 4/4. Left 5:45 pm." VI-45.
VI-31 is list of those registered 4/3 or 4/4, from Walter Ledley.

VI-41 -our's pin.

At one point 12 different cards on pin scene Lorraine only despite Liberian affirmation to contrary. Some published still originally and still refused by FBI.

Main Street:VI-40 4/5 arrest on suspicion from Jim's Grill-released, no avid nos. VI-30, blacked-out name saw white Mustang 1967 in front of Jo er's cadillac. Similar I month Foster,VI-5?, who walked between whit Mustang, ~~Continental~~ Cadillac at 5:05.
VI-68- white mustang turned from south main into Vance, one person in it (blackedoutname)
VI-54- walking on S. Main in front Jim's Grill "approx 6:00 pm." No report of seeing anybody. Name blanked out.
Hurley, Charles, I-103 4/4/68 at 4:45 when he was parked south of Manipes he saw white Mustang with one man in it.~~he parked~~ He parked behind it."Had Arkansas plate with number beginning with'4/ letters 'AL'..." AL as in Alabama? Which had the same color plates that year as Arkansas. I-104 Peggy Hurley saw her husband had parked behind white mustang. Jowers cards give-away on deliberateness of framing on position of Mustang, etc:I-111 "Cadillac parked in front of entrance ~~of~~ to Jim's Grill late afternoon of 4/4." I-113,"Cadillac outside Jim's Grill 4/4." There are eight Powers cards, all but third exceedingly brief. After Ford: VI-50 "had ~~parked~~ Cadillac parked in front of Jim's Grill 4/4/" Then this key one,"VI-51 Cadillac north of hydrant behind mustang."VI-57 Cadillac parked north of hydrant by grill." VI-59 "white cadillac parked in front of grill." VI-62 "Walker saw his cadillac parked north of hydrant by entrance to grill." Walker not further identified. Jowers with Main or Jim. The 3rd is VI-48 "arrived at grill, approx 5:55 pm 4/4/68, and parked behind white mustang. Mustang might have been from Fisherville...." While this does place him and the mustang there at the time he told me it eliminates the details I am sure he told the FBI, the names of whom e agents are marked, details that are supported by others and establish credibility. Bearing on this there is no card on the above "Walker" and none of Jim McGraw or his cab company and its manifest.
i*107, name masked, from Seabrook Wallpaper Co., language of card leaves it unclear but this person could have seen the package before Ghormley was there.
VI-61 name blacked out "left Jim's Grill between 5:15 and 5:30 pm 4/4/68. ...Noticed a white Mustang with dark interior." was waiting for friend to come. This is one who saw white mustang turn from S. Main into Vance so fits with VI-68 above.
VI-64 name blacked,"Lincoln Continental parked in front of mustang." I-111 is one of several that have "White Fairlane Ford parked south of Jim's Grill entrance." This one is "around 5:30-6:00 pm 4/4." VI-50 blacked-out name may be of owner,"had white fairlane ford parked at (sic) Jim's Grill 4/4."
VI-53, which has two names masked and eliminates time, reads,"parked car outside - heard by ——— to say Mustang took his place." VI-54,57 similar. That an entirely different car ~~xxxx~~ than the Mustang was"parked south of fire hydrant" is what VI-59 says. Then blacked-out name VI-62 says "Entered Jim's Grill approx ~~5:52xx5:2~~ 5:20,4/4/68. Recalls that 1966 white mustang hardtop was parked in space he usually uses..." After Kenzler and before Wright, blacked-out name VI-52 "walked in front of white mustang approx 5:05 pm,4/4/68, to enter Jim's Grill. Mustang parked in front of white cadillac...——— entered restaurant, he remarked that mustang had taken his parking place.

I-84 Ptl. Barney Wright, taking rest in firehouse lounge, heard window rattle. He and Ptl Douglas ran back to their squad car and "put out radio broadcast of shooting." Then "drove" it says here "onto Main, turned south circling (sic) fire station, drove into Mulberry and in front of motel, then down Mulberry to Euling, went west on Euling, and around to Main. Marked car." Does not say or even indicate where, nor would the uninformed reading this have the slightest notion that all it says is that they did not quite circle once city block. It does go farther and report that when at some unspecified point they "Took positions on Main outside car," and do not recall seeing Dallahite or other officers." (No. ref. to others, like sheriffs or escaping gunmen). There is another and typically informative card on "Mullen, Pat." of I-80 it says, in toto, "In Tactical Squad #10."

If it happened as Wright says he was in his car in less than a minute. He thus was on the street before anyone could have come outside the flophouse after making any kind of package, with a clear view both ways as the car left and of any car. Now from the official account Day's car was near the firehouse, as near as parking permitted. He had to have come out of the flophouse with the bundle after Wright and Douglas left in their car. The firehouse is at the corner, so all the business about driving onto Main is a means of misleading those not knowing the local geography. Depending on how his car was parked it had to be on Lafron the unnamed street, Butler, less than the width of the firehouse. The block to Mulberry is short. This account does not indicate any slowing down on Mulberry and in including that the other officers ran there eliminates any reason for any slowing down. Or, in practically no time this squad car with two officers looking for anything at all unusual had turned the next corner and were in full view of Main before they got there and then had a better view when they "took positions" on it. In short, they saw nothing, leaving only one real possibility: what there was to see transpired before they could have seen anything. This eliminates the official account. They would have had to see the car at least if it had not gone earlier. The all-pad direction of the alleged Day car was pointing north, or it would have had to pass Euling.

This is all on "MainStreet." Next is "Manipe's." 8 Manipe cards after 2 of Edwin Bodenheimer, which has Manipe away all day and not returning until about 5:20 p.m. Manipe himself says his store was closed until about 5 p.m.

First card has Manipe hearing thud and seeking package and then hesitating for an unspecified time before going "to sidewalk, looking in both directions." At then has him saying what he denied, that after this lapse of time, "saw a white, small car, possibly a compact, pull from curb in east side of Main Street just south of store." Of course this also is hardly an account of screeching tires or any hasty takeoff. But he denies seeing any car or telling anyone that he did. Moreover, were this true, it is still exculpatory because it provides more than enough time for anyone to escape unseen.

2dcard, "Looked north, saw Deputy approaching with pistol drawn, immediately went back into store. After a number of officers arrived, their attention drawn to bundle." It took "a number" to #ntract "drew" attention to a bundle with a rifle sticking out after an assassination? This is designed to get around Chormley, as is eliminating the name of "Deputy," Dallahite, who has to have been much later than Chormley. Chormley to here is not mentioned.

At I-70 it is "In record store 4/4 around 5:30 pm-Heard noise - all went to look at bundle by door." This does not even relate it to shot or time of shot. At I-73 only "Pointed to bundle to show of icers." (On all Manipe cards only 1 #. named and it is blacked out. One on Bodenheimer, also blacked out, as with Dipley and Graham and with the name of the police officer who was with the #(s). All masked not for privacy but to prevent checking and charging.

I-81 is particularly provocative because it is pointless except in bringing the entirely unidentified Chormley in, then without reference to time: "told Chormley of bundle dropped outside business." He had to be told about it? Couldn't see it?

Now with all of this what the FBI certainly has to have asked is missing, like where did Manipe park his own car when he got there and what did he see of other cars and their locations. Did he park in front? Legally? Blocking any other car? etc. Nothing.

I-71 is both Bernell Finley and Julius L Graham, I-73 Graham only, both dated 4/4/68. Finley there about a half hourm when he "heard shot, said nothing." Who can believe it? Then about a minute later he "heard a noise" and "saw man walking on sidewalk." Harder to believe than "man walking on water." But were on sidewalk? Not even direction other than away, which it also does not say? What did the first deputy do? "walked past" without stopping. Here is the best part, the shot having been fired, the package dropped, then some hesitation about going to the package and then the deputy just as naturally as in Perry Mason walking past the package:"Saw Deputy again, the heard "screech" of tires and saw white Mustang speeding north on Main, past store." If he saw the car going straight, not pulling from curb or at that angle, it came from elsewhere - if he saw a car. The point here is that in all details the account attributed to him is impossible.

Naturally he and Graham, both there about a half hour, do not report making any purchases.

The time Graham is said to have seen a man is not even indicated. It is related only to his arrival at 5:30. He also has the Deputy going past the first time and then returning withother officers, an obvious impossibility. His account of the screeching tires is "Before Deputy ran by." He has a white rambled blocking view of Mustang. There are other reports of a rambler, but if the tires screeched and the view was blocked if he saw anything what could he have seen?

James masked heavily from here. First six card of one witness and all police and FBI. Then what has to be Zachary and is essential to any chain of possession, the one who "Collected items left outside the Amusement Co. 4/4.), I-101

VIII-2-4 strangely headed under "Arusement Co." a blacked-out SA "Contacted motels and Service Stations in Northern Mississippi for knowledge of Galt..."

I-163 refers to several 4/4/68 pictures of Canipe's and bundle, name of photographer blacked out.

The following cards report either no checking by police or faking of evidence because according to them the clip was in the rifle and the empty shell was chambered, Jensen allegedly removing both, one is to infer for first time.

According to card on 419, I-146,"First Section of 4/4/68 edition of Commercial Appeal newspaper. (In suitcase)" What was time not taken for in preparing the hasty flight-even putting newspaper inside suitcase? I believe this also is false. Same source, different case has binocular case there. Why not? Everything else was, like the binocular, hammer, pliers,Bushnell carton, the York Arms receipt and empty bag. All sorts of junnk and no clothes other than one cloth belt and 1 pair of socks. There also was a towel. These many cards are followed by two on clothing about which there is no info on source, dated 2 days later: one pair shorts, waistband 23 1/2 in, certainly not Ray's, and what might be larger than his size in a Jockey T-shirt, 42X4 with the "lower portion... cut out." No other clothes. And this is all that was left by a fleeing man who had checked into a rooming house? No FBI questions?

Laundry card traces:Skiddimed only but one fascinates: III-30, under Laundry Markss and Amusement Co., Lucy Penela, earlier identified as manager of Home Service Laundry: "Shown color photo of shorts and T-shirt found at Canipe Amusement Co. Identified a former employee to whom they might have belonged."

If one might find it mildly interesting that this woman was familiar with the underwear of a former employee, men's underwear, what a man, 25" weist and 44" chest! Naturally no questions about what Ray was doing carrying around underwear he could not wear because it was too small or was incomplete.

Then we get to Jay Wallis Vernon, former ownér of this laundry on whom several card, 969 At III-30 he "Had friend named Jim with undershorts like those found in suitcase. Last seen 3/68." What is Ray doing with Jim's shorts?

Esther Nieto makes positive identification "as being marked by their machine between 3/4-3/10/68." Similarly at III-32 for T-shirt (970)

End my notebook 7

Beer carton: CE-10,14,,4.11,12,15 (Jay 7179)- The FBI did trace the bobbitz on the bag to Northern Liquor Shop only, as to Memphis drug store. But no mention of Soto Lotto.

Elders dresses: 27 cards on this alone! Compare with evidence of cards itself.

Kinney, San Francisco; Millette Lounge: bought it before noon (shortly) 4/5 I-126 sold by Mrs. Peggy Burns. Reinterviewed, I-128 in apparent effort to get him to say it was 4/2. She "is positive" not 4/2 ~~xxxxxxx~~ and she did not work 4/4.

Chain of evidence: (See separate list of items of evidence) I:148; I:164; I-145; I-140; VI-95;VI-97; VI-145; Extradition Affidavit (Frankel);I-141; Extradition Affidavit (Jensen);"Affidavit of Lachary"(does not say extradition affidavit);I-145;I-140; I-145;VI-95: I-145; Lachary, M.__, Extradition Affidavit - Denise items, rooming house stuff - returned to him by "Canagen" 5/3/68; and apparently this is all because it is all that is under this heading. No point in an extra list. It includes the clothing, windowsill,material found outside Canipes and in the rooming house, probably the fatal slug although it is not listed and unspecified "Developed prints of (blacked out) photographs" at I-164. (This does tend to confirm what I told Wise man about withhold -emphis police pix and the form in which given to the FBI, developed prints. ~~WHAT THEY WANTS IS WHAT THEIR EVER WE ANY CANADA FOR ANY OTHER PURPOSE. REAL REASON~~ and that to overcome the deficiencies in the evidence essential evidence is omitted. Example is the autopsy report and film.

Men(this) wise: Moderate story with names masked.

Autopsy: VI-74 5 photos taken by Francisco

* I-153: Ming was not in Rm 307 as alleged. He was in 307 from the key found on his person.
VI-71 hospital admittance and treatment records.
I-175 external observations, etc.
I-180 autopsy protocol, completed 4/11/68. "Autopsy 4/4/68 at 10:45 p.m."
I-181,166,165 other records, descriptions etc.
Francisco also at I-149,I-180,I-181,VI-74.
VI-71- Dr. Ted Galyon "Observed wounds" in emergency ~~xxxxx~~ room, #1

Toronto: Robert Mc Boulddon (sic) self-identified fat man "who delivered envelope to Ray" B. LHM p.3

Lisbon: No indication of where.

London: A 7/26/68 p. 5 Officer (name masked) reports 6/17 conversation with Ray, another masked quotes Ray as saying 7/5 he stayed at three hotels in London. Some of first obviously impossible.

Frederick J. Schwartz is lawyer who spoke to Scottland Yard about Ray case, 2 cards cited to B LHM 6/14/68 p. 2, 6/15/68 p. 2.

Qc389 is "Photo of BR note "Place al . . ." and "Put all. . ." written on brown paper bag."

London-Arrest: After Butler and before Human black-out name took notes "during interrogation of Ray in Cannon Row..." at B 6/21/68, apparently Thompson Report.
Article on silencers ref B ~~X~~ 6/21/68.

Misc. Ray: begins with much on Paul Bridgeman.
B LHM 5/29/68 "X-rays~~x~~ of Ray and body found in Pennsylvania have no similarity." (When and where did they X-ray Ray? Or get X-rays, to which to now I have seen no reference?)(Name at top card blacked out.) If dental, see B LHM 5/27/68. Or XIII-103, Va.

Family and Background:
XIII-24:"In 8/38 (third grade) diagnosed for spontaneous epilepsy leaving no memory of attack." (No military records here.)

Prison: X-123 12/29/66 psychiatrist letter to Mo. Parole Board "Reflects Ray has headaches, fixations, is an obsessive compulsive personality. Not ready for parole."
X-120- took Spanish course at Leavenworth.
A 10/3/68 (5-3/6-24-67) Klingman's "received calls from his 'brother' during last week of employment." P. 12, got one letter from Canada.

B'ham '67: Mexico:L.A.:XIII:111- on 10 days 11/29/67 to 1/20/68 made 21 calls from Serrano. Numbers not listed on card. New Orleans:XV-X10 Blacked-out name just fits Stein and has one extra fact not in earlier cards:"Was to meet man with Italian name in (sic) Canal St., N.O." The Canal St. bar and the Italian name are not new but the combo is. XIII-198 "Stated name loudly in New Orleans motel." (Other than J.O. fels. immediately.)

Then Atlanta: Chan'68: Memphis:First item New Rebel registration. Registered at 7:15 p.m. 4/5 -I-154. WW-7 Bessie Brewer "would not recognize" the man and "could not identify photos of Ray." WW-8 "not identified by (blacked out). WW-6 "Mr. Charles Anschutz who could not identify" from photos. Atlanta (?): Lisbon:London: 3 Mm. 7/1/68 p. 1 "IS-ntified through fingerprints as having robbed a Fulham bank 3/4/68 of £239. Right Thumb print matched." This is anything but the full story and the omissions cannot be accidental. He was not alone. Sys REF feared "conspiracy." Misc. not much in this stuff toward the end.

No real interest in anyone other than Galt/Ray . No real investigation of the crime reflected here.